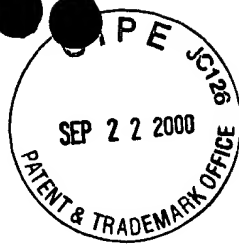


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PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(2) (WITH FEE)**

In accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, attached please find  
a Form PTO-1449 listing information for consideration by the Office in connection with its examination  
of the above-captioned patent application. This information disclosure statement supplements an

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information disclosure statement previously submitted in connection with this application on September 24, 1999.

This information disclosure statement is being filed before the mailing date of either of a final action under §1.113 or a notice of allowance under §1.311, and is accompanied by the fee set forth in §1.17(p). Applicant therefore requests that this information disclosure statement be considered pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c)(2) and that a copy of the Form PTO-1449 be returned to the undersigned indicating the consideration of each document listed.

It is brought to the Examiner's attention that those references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 which are denoted with an asterisk (\*) next to the line item number were previously submitted to the Office in a prior application, namely SN 09/151,530 (now USPN 6,098,106), which is relied upon in the current application for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. §120. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.98(d), copies of such previously submitted items are not provided herein. Copies of the remaining references are enclosed herein.

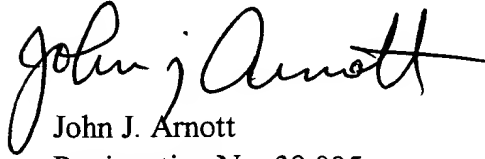
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Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$240.00. Please charge any additional fees or deficiencies in fees necessary for the filing of this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-0780/PHLY-24,706 of HOWISON, CHAUZA, HANDLEY & ARNOTT, L.L.P.

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